Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 14 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 15 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 14 Jul 2021 at 02:13 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for mainly dry and settled conditions with some warm or very warm sunshine developing.

Headline for Wednesday 14 Jul 2021: Dry and bright, but low cloud and drizzle later

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 14 Jul 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Drizzle
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	20%	40%

Forecast for Wednesday 14 Jul 2021

Weather: Any patchy low cloud will lift and clear this morning to leave a bright day with some sunny spells. Warm or very warm. However, cloud becoming extensive and lowering during the evening with drizzle and mist.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80%, but 40% early in the day. Becoming Nil to 20% through the evening.

Visibility: Mostly good or very good with cloud near or above the summits, but moderate or poor in any low cloud early in the day, patches or extensive base 600m. However, becoming moderate or poor in the evening, and very poor at height with extensive cloud base 600m or less developing.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	9/11 SW	11/15 SW	21/27 SW	24/31 SW	29/37 SW	25/32 SW	22/28 W
900	4/6 SW	8/12 SW	17/22 SW	20/27 SW	19/26 SW	19/26 W	15/21 W
600	9/11 SW	11/15 SW	19/26 SW	22/30 SW	23/31 SW	19/26 SW	13/19 SW
300	5/6 SW	8/12 SW	13/19 SW	14/21 SW	13/18 SW	10/16 SW	8/13 W
Glen	4/5 SW	9/13 SW	13/21 SW	14/23 SW	11/20 SW	9/17 SW	6/14 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	9/6	8/5	8/4	8/4	8/3	8/3	6/2
900	11/11	11/10	12/9	12/9	10/7	10/6	9/6
600	11/10	12/10	13/10	13/10	12/8	12/8	10/8
300	13/12	14/13	15/13	16/13	14/11	13/12	12/11
Glen	15/15	16/15	18/15	18/15	15/13	15/14	14/14
Freezing Level*	2700m	3000m	3200m	3400m	3100m	2800m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Some warm sunshine and high UV levels expected, but marked deterioration in conditions in the evening.

Forecast for Thursday 15 Jul 2021
Weather: Mostly cloudy overnight and early morning with mist and drizzle. The cloud will lift and break during the morning with sunny spells in the afternoon and evening.

Maximum wind: Northwest 10 to 15 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Nil to 30% overnight and early morning, becoming 90% by the afternoon.

Visibility: Mostly good or very good, but moderate or poor at times overnight and early morning, and very poor at height. Extensive cloud at first, base 600m or less, this lifting and clearing, no significant cloud for much of the afternoon and evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 13 Celsius rising to 23 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 10 to 15 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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